

## Community resources

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## Viewing cable 94RIYADH6031,

If you are new to these pages, please read an introduction on the [structure of a cable](#) as well as how to [discuss them](#) with others. See also the [FAQs](#)

### Understanding cables

Every cable message consists of three parts:

- The top box shows each cable's unique reference number, when and by whom it originally was sent, and what its initial classification was.
- The middle box contains the header information that is associated with the cable. It includes information about the receiver(s) as well as a general subject.
- The bottom box presents the body of the cable. The opening can contain a more specific subject, references to other cables ([browse by origin](#) to find them) or additional comment. This is followed by the main contents of the cable: a summary, a collection of specific topics and a comment section.

To understand the justification used for the classification of each cable, please use this [WikiSource](#) article as reference.

### Discussing cables

If you find meaningful or important information in a cable, please link directly to its unique reference number. Linking to a specific paragraph in the body of a cable is also possible by copying the appropriate link (to be found at the paragraph symbol). Please mark messages for social networking services like Twitter with the hash tags **#cablegate** and a hash containing the reference ID e.g. **#94RIYADH6031**.

Reference ID	Created	Released	Classification	Origin
94RIYADH6031	1994-11-23 13:42	2011-08-30 01:44	CONFIDENTIAL	Embassy Riyadh

Appears in these articles:

<http://www.aftenposten.no/spesial/wikileaksdokumenter/article4002952.ece>

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R 231342Z NOV 94
FM AMEMBASSY RIYADH
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7651
INFO GCC COLLECTIVE

C O N F I D E N T I A L RIYADH 006031

S/CT FOR REAP

E.O.12356: OADR TAGS: PTER

REF: STATE 286744
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1. (U) SAG POLICY HAS NOT CHANGED SINCE THE ISSUANCE OF THE LAST TERRORISM REPORT. THE SAG IS PRIMARILY CONCERNED WITH PREVENTING TERRORIST IN

2. (U) THE SAG DID NOT EXTRADITE OR REQUEST THE EXTRADITION OF TWO ETHIOPIANS WHO HIJACKED A SAUDIA AIRLINE FLIGHT FROM JEDDAH TO ADDIS ABABA

3. (C) ALTHOUGH BOTH HIJACKINGS OCCURRED OUTSIDE SAUDI AIRSPACE, THESE TWO INCIDENTS RAISE QUESTIONS ABOUT THE ABILITY OF SAUDI AUTHORITIES TC

4. (C) REPORTS OF "FRIENDLY-FIRE" INJURIES AND CASUALTIES BY THE SAUDI ANTI-TERRORIST POLICE SQUAD DURING A RECENT NON-TERRORIST HOSTAGE-TAKIN

5. (U) THE SAUDI GOVERNMENT REVOKED THE CITIZENSHIP OF OSAMA BIN LADIN, A SAUDI KNOWN TO SUPPORT EXTREMIST GROUPS AND SUSPECTED OF FINANCING T

6. (U) THERE WERE SEVERAL REPORTS THAT THE SAG IS OR HAS BEEN FUNDING TERRORIST GROUPS IN EGYPT, ALGERIA AND ISRAEL. THERE WERE ALSO REPORTS T

7. (U) SAUDI AUTHORITIES HAVE REPEATEDLY STATED THAT THE SAUDI GOVERNMENT DOES NOT FUND TERRORIST GROUPS, AND THAT NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATI

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